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Granting of Patents
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Will the Minister of SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it takes an average of five years to grant a patent in the country;

(b) if so, the reasons for delay in granting approvals;

(c) the year-wise details of applications of the patents filed and patents granted along with the details of duration for which the present patent applications are pending; and

(d) the steps taken by the Government to expedite the process of patent approvals in the country and the outcome thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EARTH SCIENCES
(SHRI.Y. S. CHOWDARY)

(a) to (d): Madam, the subject is handled by Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion. The information is being collected and will be laid on Table of the House.

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